

Hawaiian Gazette

EST. MODUS IN REBUS.

TUESDAY, MARCH 29, 1887.

The action of the Attorney-General in entering a *nolle prosequi* in the case of the Chinese gamblers is commendable. The legal machinery of this country is not to be used as a means for the two Chinese factions here to get even with one another, and it argues considerable acumen on the part of Mr. Rosa to have seen through the little game. It is satisfactory to be able to give a word of praise to a Government officer, and we hasten to do so when opportunity offers.

The body of a man was found floating in the harbor on Sunday morning. As usual, the man being dead, the Marshal did not think it necessary to hold an inquest. This is perfectly outrageous. The man may have been pushed into the water, or he may have fallen in in a drunken state, and if the latter it would be interesting to know the condition he was in when he was supplied with liquor. There seems to be a desire to hush the matter up. The doctor's certificate only shows the actual cause of death. The facts should be sifted before a jury.

Who makes the \$2 a day which is earned by the Reformatory School boys on H. H. M. S. Kaimiloa. These young rascals are supported out of the public funds and being convicted criminals, cannot earn wages for themselves. It would be really interesting to learn what becomes of the money, goes into the general "divvy" we expect. Very likely will assist in making the "small stores" more efficient when this costly folly goes to sea. The latest calculation as to the cost of this expensive toy, puts the figures at \$65,000. Plenty of money for such a thing as this and then look at our roads and harbor.

It is wonderful how quickly the Government has changed its mind with regard to Chinese doctors. A short time ago it was quite difficult for a Chinese doctor to obtain a license to practice, now there is no difficulty whatever about the matter. We understand that there are no less than twenty-eight licensed Chinese physicians. Why this change in the spirit of the dream? It is not far to seek. Chinese physicians are available for prescribing "opium" for any diseases of their countrymen, and this helps forward the sale of the drug, in which the Government is interested. Anything to boom up the sale of opium by the licensed monopolists.

The future of the Hawaiian Navy is assured. The kind of discipline to be expected can now be judged. Captain Jackson, the chief executive officer, was a few weeks ago, hit in the eye by the boatswain. The affair, after some negotiation and threats of legal proceedings, has been settled by the mutual apologies of the high contracting parties in a bar-room. This is certainly a good beginning and, if it is only carried out on the same lines, the Hawaiian Navy bids fair to vie with the Hawaiian Government in being a disgrace to the flag that covers it. What would have been the result of this fracas in any other country in the world? Not a reconciliation in a bar-room.

By the death of Mr. George W. Pilipo the Hawaiians have lost a thoroughly patriotic citizen. For years Mr. Pilipo represented North Kona, Hawaii, and was only defeated last election by the use of undue Government influence. In his place in the House Mr. Pilipo has forcibly denounced the wrong doing of the present administration, and brought some ugly charges against Mr. Gibson, which the latter has never refuted. Mr. Pilipo was Hawaiian to the backbone and was desirous of advancing his race to the utmost, but he was a stern opponent of anything like waste and unnecessary expenditure. He saw through the shoddy of the present brummagem regime. He was a patriot whom the Hawaiians could ill afford to lose.

There does not seem to be that great anxiety to let our little world know how the Samoan Embassy is getting on. The echo of the first flourish of trumpets has died away and only silence greets the listening ear. It is true that the unregenerate and those who have not the fear of the Minister of Foreign Affairs before their eyes, will whisper that all is not so sweet as it might be. That King Malietoa is willing to drink the champagne which the Hawaiian taxpayer has so liberally provided for him and, indeed, is willing to accept anything in the way of presents which he considers himself as good as his neighbors, and a considerable piece better. In point of fact Malietoa is just as likely to want to protect Hawaii as the latter desires to protect him. In consequence the lines of the Hawaiian Embassy have not fallen into the pleasantest of places and its members have received a few slights and insults, which will never appear in the despatches published by the Hawaiian Foreign Office.

Where! and oh where! is the National Party gone?

"It's not gone, but at home and grabbing all it can!"

To the pathetic enquiry put forth by a respected contemporary as to what has become of the so-called National Party, answer may be made. "Let the enquirers therefore look about them, and begin at the Government offices."

Each member of the "National"

party may be found over-head and ears in the National cornbin, or up to his elbows in the National cash box. The inventor, prime mover, and patentee of the concern holds his own, and woe be to any would-be infringer on his patent. No matter how prolonged or how valuable his services may have been in the past, or how beneficial to the nation they promised to become in the future—any National servant not in accord with the patentee has been summarily removed without process of law or considerations of equity.

The patentee himself has held simultaneously three out of four Cabinet Portfolios, and at the same time, two out of three Presidencies of permanent Boards, and sundry other influential posts, the detail work being placed in the hands of relatives or others, whose main qualification seems to be utter dependency.

Another member of the same party has been made an Ambassador to a foreign Court, a Minister of Finance, a business of which he knows no more than did his unbreeched forefathers; he made himself an exhibition on the floor of the Legislature, and now has the Collectorship of Customs made a sinecure for his special benefit.

Another may be found (metaphorically) presiding at the Finance office at present, another at the Interior office and yet another at the Land Registrar's office and so on.

All over the Kingdom are District Justices, tax assessors, road supervisors, coroners, postmasters, etc., etc., all equally incompetent for their offices but dependent upon the patentee.

Not only within the Kingdom is this the case. Hawaiian Charge d' Affaires, Consuls, Financial Agents, etc., and Hawaiian youths growing fat on allowances accorded to them by the patentee, who gives liberally with his well-known generosity out of other people's pockets.

Let us try to see how the National party stands in its personal relationship to National expenditure.

LIST OF THE NATIONAL PARTY.
HAWAII.
Hilo: Kaula, Deputy Sheriff, Tax Collector.
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Kauai: Kuananua, Road Supervisor, Coroner, Tax Assessor.
N. Kona: Nabale, Tax Assessor N. Kohala.
S. Kona: Nabina, Tax Collector, Deputy Sheriff.

MAUI.
Hana: S. W. Kaai, District Judge, Tax Assessor.
Wailuku: G. Richardson, Road Superintendent-in-chief, Maui, Molokai, Lanai, Clerk Circuit Court, Tax Collector, now Circuit Judge 2d Judicial Court.
Lahaina: L. Aholo, Police Judge, Wailuku, Tax Assessor, now Minister of Interior.

KAUAI.
Wailuku: J. Amara, Deputy Sheriff, Tax Collector.
Koolanpoko: A. Kaula, District Judge, Tax Assessor.
Honolulu: F. H. Hayselden, Tax Assessor, Sec'y Board Health, Gen. Business Agent to the Ministry.

Honolulu: E. K. Lilikalani, Sec'y to Her Majesty.
Honolulu: J. T. Baker, General Haw. Army, Sheriff of Hawaii.
Honolulu: Mrs. Baker, Governess Hawaii.
Honolulu: J. Kaua, Poi Contractor to Gov't.
Honolulu: Kaula, Deputy Sheriff, Hilo, Tax Collector, Postmaster-General, Marshal, Attorney-General, now Marshal and member for Wailuku.
Honolulu: Junius Kane, Tax Assessor, Waimanalo, Registrar of Public Accounts.
Honolulu: P. P. Kanoa, Governor of Kauai, now Minister of Finance.
Honolulu: J. M. Kapena, Postmaster-General, Minister of Finance, now Collector-General.
Honolulu: W. M. Gibson, Attorney-General, Minister of Interior, now President Board of Health, and Board of Education, Minister of Foreign Affairs.

KAUAI.
Hanalei: G. B. Elohano, Road Supervisor in Chief, Deputy Sheriff, his son, a leper, Road Supervisor.
Hanalei: E. L. Kaula, Tax Assessor, Road Supervisor, Licensed Liquor Dealer.

This is only a slight sketch of the whereabouts of the National Party. There is the Genealogy steal, the Samoan Mission, the School Inspector fraud, the Hawaiian youths abroad and any quantity of little pickings which have not been taken into consideration, but which all bring grist to the mill of the National Party. It is well provided for and as busy as it can be raking in the coin. It has taken well to heart the motto: "Make hay while the sun shines."

What do you want? is a question often put by the passer by, when he finds the dwellers on these islands far from as happy and contented as they ought to be. The question is a reasonable one and the answer is an easy one.

First and foremost we want a clean government, a government administered by men who have the material prosperity of the country at heart and who will so conduct the affairs of the nation that the citizens may take a pride in claiming Hawaiian nationality instead of being ashamed of it.

Is our government unclean? Assuredly. Any government which permits barefaced bribery is unclean. It is an almost incontrovertible fact that a bribe of great magnitude was given for the opium license. The sworn evidence on this point is clear and voluminous. The fact that the bribe was given and received, has been brought to the notice of the Minister of Foreign Affairs, the Attorney-General and the King. The charge has been made in no ambiguous terms, it has not been merely hinted at, it has been plumply stated. It argues very ill for this Government when no steps have been taken either to refute the charge or to bring him who has committed the crime to justice. What can be thought of men who say: "Yes! we know that this crime has been committed, we did not receive the money, but we know that that official did. We have no influence over him, to make him return the money!" No influence over him? If that man received the money why has he not been instantly removed from his position? Why is he, who it is confessed received the money allowed to have charge of a most important public trust? The receiver is as bad, and

morally worse, than the thief, let those apply the proverb who may.

But this is only one glaring crime, one that has come to the surface. Jobbery is rampant among the executive, though they are usually clever enough to cover up their tracks.

Now let look at another phase of the Hawaiian Government waste. In 1882 the public treasury had a large balance in hand, and the public debt had been reduced almost to a cypher. Had the country followed on the lines then laid down, it might have been one of the most prosperous upon earth. In 1887 we find the treasury as bare as the desert of Sahara, the public debt something over \$2,000,000, which is \$25 a head for every man, woman and child in the country, trade depressed, business at a stand still and nothing to show for our burden of debt but empty champagne bottles, the stale odor of a coronation banquet, a second-hand steamer and a plethoric bank account of the Minister of Foreign Affairs and his connections.

The roads of the Islands are a crying disgrace. Not only those of the country districts, but those in the capital. The harbor of Honolulu is in a worse condition than it has ever been, and is growing worse every day, till the time will come, and that not so very far distant when ships of large size will be unable to enter. Bridges need repair, landings require improvement, everything connected with the material progress of the country is crying for assistance, and the same answer comes, no money. The taxes have been expended upon folly and vain show, and the material wants of the country must wait—wait when? Till reform sweeps away the whole corrupt ring which are now making Hawaii the laughing stock of the world and injuring the prospects in life of every one who is unfortunate enough to be anchored here for life.

The taxes raised from the mechanic and the agriculturist, as from the business man and capitalist of the community, are being daily wasted. Efficient men, who did good work, have been carefully weeded out of all positions of public trust and their places have been supplied by minions of the great office holders, men chosen not for their ability but for their subservience. We even find so disgraceful an appointment as a pronounced leper to an official position in Kauai.

There is no contradicting the facts we have brought forward. They are patent to the eyes of any one who will take the trouble to look for himself. We want bribery and corruption put an end to. We want able, efficient and patriotic men in office, who will guard the honor of Hawaii and of Hawaiians, both native and foreign. We want silly extravagance to be put an end to. We want the national prosperity to be regarded, instead of the private bank accounts of a few needy adventurers. We want good roads, a good harbor, proper landings. We want a Legislature elected by the people and not packed by the nominees of the Crown, in fact we want everything that will make the State prosperous and happy, honored and respected. If we cannot have this under the present kind of government, we must set about changing it so that we can obtain what we want. What we ask is reasonable and as free citizens we have a right, not alone to ask, but to demand!

A New Ship for the Navy

The bark Kalakana having been libelled for various debts owing by this vessel has at last reached the Marshal's hands who will dispose of her to the highest bidder on the 9th of April next. Now here is a prize which the Navy department ought not to let slip for procuring an additional man-of-war for the Great Hawaiian Navy. Let the Secretary of the Navy for all means secure her. Money is plenty for this sort of foolery, by out about \$60,000, and man her with prisoners from the reef, and this country would feel proud of the acquisition and stand all reasonable expenditures in this line!

Royal Audience.

On Friday morning the King granted a royal audience at Iolani Palace. At the audience His Excellency Walter M. Gibson, Minister of Foreign Affairs, presented J. F. Jackson, Esq., Acting Vice-Consul for Russia, who then presented Captain Makaroff of H. I. R. M. Vitz, Aide-de-Camp to the Czar. Captain Makaroff presented Lieutenants De Rubaso, Branser, Jenish, Knebrugh, Sub-Lieutenants Prince Masloff, Koerber, Prince W. Schaefer, and a full retinue of other court officials. The Household troops in line on either side formed a guard of honor.

Coal Specimens.

At Wilders S. S. Office, Mr. S. B. Rose has some specimens of handiwork made from pure anthracite coal procured from the Lehigh Valley, Pennsylvania, which require to be seen to be thoroughly appreciated. The articles comprise a match safe, paper weight and napkin ring, made from solid blocks of coal, and are so neatly finished and polished that coal would be the last substance suspected as entering into their composition. Accompanying these articles is a sample of the raw material from which the lot was made. There is also some fine specimens of fossilized ferns in state. These articles were sent here by Mr. Pardee, who a short time since paid a visit to the Lehigh Valley, and are presented for Mr. S. B. Rose, Mr. L. A. Thorne and Mr. F. L. Clarke, all of whom will no doubt highly prize these unique coal specimens.

Whale Fishery for 1886.

The importation of whale oil, sperm oil and whalebone into the United States for 1886 was as follows:

	Sperm, barrels.	Whale, barrels.	Bone, pounds.
New Bedford.....	18,615	4,995	27,410
Boston.....	920	300	200
Provincetown.....	829	573	200
New London.....	200	200	200
Stonington.....	200	200	200
New York.....	200	200	200
San Francisco.....	650	20,265	323,180
Total.....	20,412	27,249	624,490

The exports from the United States for the past year were 3,115 barrels of sperm, 18,253 barrels of whale oil, and 184,511 pounds of whalebone. The stock on hand January 1, 1887, was 18,210 barrels of sperm, 9,270 barrels of whale oil, and 322,900 pounds of whalebone. The average price of whale oil for 1886 was \$36.00, of sperm oil 74.00, and of bone \$2.75.

Supreme Court of the Hawaiian Islands—April Term, Beginning Monday, April 4, 1887.

McCULLY, J. Presiding.

HON. ANTONIO ROSA, ATTORNEY GENERAL.

HAWAIIAN JURY.

The King vs. Pipilani. Selling liquor. Atty. Gen. for crown; W. A. Whiting for defendant.
Estate of Mauea. Probate appeal. Kinney & Peterson for plaintiff; A. C. Smith for defendant.
Kalaekoko vs. Kahale. Ejectment. Thompson for plaintiff; Brown for defendant.
Kimo vs. Kailiann. Ejectment. Poepeo for plaintiff; Smith, Thurston & Kinney for defendant.
Kanaola vs. Quinn. Ejectment. Thompson, Poepeo for plaintiff; Smith, Thurston & Kinney for defendant.

MIXED JURY.

Hobson vs. Kameanel. Ejectment. Brown for plaintiff; Rosa for defendant.
Alsin vs. Uilama. Damages. Kinney & Peterson for plaintiff; Rosa for defendant.
Parke vs. Robinson. Trower. Brown for plaintiff; Smith, Thurston & Kinney for defendant.
Waahia vs. Enos. Assumpsit. Castle for plaintiff.
Kaunkai vs. Wight. Ejectment. Achi for plaintiff; Smith, Thurston & Kinney for defendant.
Loowahine vs. Campbell. Ejectment. Kinney & Peterson for plaintiff.
Kahobuhi vs. Hamakua. Ejectment. Rosa, Peterson for plaintiff; Smith, Thurston & Kinney for defendant.
Colburn vs. Parke. Replevin. Whiting & Gibson for plaintiff; Smith, Thurston & Kinney for defendant.

FOREIGN JURY.

The King vs. Ah Wing. Possession of opium. Atty. Gen. for crown; Neumann for defendant.
The King vs. Alisin. Adultery. Atty. Gen. for crown.
The King vs. Thomas & Harrigan. Malicious Injury. Atty. Gen. for crown; Brown, Hatch for defendant.
The King vs. Vance. Assault with a Pistol. Atty. Gen. for crown; A. C. Smith for defendant.
The King vs. Ah Sick. Larceny. Atty. Gen. for crown.
Chapman vs. Hawaiian Government. Trespass. Dole, Neumann for plaintiff; Atty. Gen. for defendant.
Buchanan vs. Burgess. Ejectment. Brown for plaintiff; Thompson for defendant.
Cartwright vs. Hoffmann. Assumpsit.
Swift vs. Macfie. Assumpsit. Castle for plaintiff; Hatch for defendant.
Ackerman vs. Congdon. Assumpsit. Dole for plaintiff; Ashford & Ashford for defendant.
Spreckels vs. Macfarlane. Assumpsit. Hatch, Dare for plaintiff; Neumann for defendant.
Chung Hoi vs. Rosenthal. Assumpsit. Whiting & Creighton for plaintiff; Neumann for defendant.
Greenwell vs. Cooper. Assumpsit. Hatch for plaintiff; Austin for defendant.
Hymen vs. Sanford. Assumpsit. Smith & Thurston for plaintiff; Kinney & Peterson for defendant.
McWayne vs. McCarty. Assumpsit. Hatch for plaintiff; Dare for defendant.
Rosenthal vs. Paiko. Damages. Hatch, Neuman for plaintiff; Brown for defendant.
Wing Wo Tai & Co vs. Ahlo. Assumpsit. Dole for plaintiff.
Parke vs. See Hop Co. Assumpsit. Whiting & Creighton for plaintiff.

BANCO.

Trask vs. Pakiko. Appellant. Equity appeal. Kinney & Peterson for plaintiff; Thompson for appellant.
Peterson vs. Lazarus. Appellant. Equity appeal. Thurston for plaintiff; Kinney & Peterson for appellant.
Hop Sing Co. vs. Kum On. Appellant. Equity appeal. Ashford & Ashford and Kinney & Peterson for plaintiff; Neumann and Peterson for appellant.
Kerr vs. Mayhew. Appeal by Aseu, garnishee. Thurston for plaintiff; Neumann for defendant; Ashford & Ashford for garnishee.
Michiels vs. Hartford Ins. Co., appellant. Exceptions. Neumann, Whiting and Creighton for plaintiff; Dare and Dole for appellant.
Michiels vs. Commercial Ins. Co., appellant. Exceptions. Neumann, Whiting and Creighton for plaintiff; Dare and Dole for appellant.
Michiels vs. South British Ins. Co., appellant. Exceptions. Neumann, Whiting and Creighton for plaintiff; Dare and Dole for appellant.

THE KING vs. McGINN.

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It is hereby ordered, that TUESDAY, the 12th day of April, 1887, at 10 o'clock a. m., of said day, at the Court room of said Court, at Aliolani Hale, Honolulu, be and the same is, hereby appointed the time for proving said Will and hearing said application, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the said Will, and the granting of Letters Testamentary.
It is further ordered, that notice thereof be given by publication, for three successive weeks, in the HAWAIIAN GAZETTE, a newspaper printed and published in Honolulu.
Dated Wailuku, H. I., March 8th, 1887.
GEO. E. RICHARDSON,
Circuit Judge, 2d Judicial Circuit.

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SUPREME COURT OF THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS. In Probate. In the matter of the Estate of F. D. LANE, of Lihue, Kauai, deceased. Intestate.
On filing the petition of F. M. Hatch, Esq., of Honolulu, Oahu, alleging that the said F. D. Lane died intestate at said Lihue, on the 23d day of March, 1887, leaving property necessary to be administered upon, and praying that letters of administration issue to him the said F. M. Hatch.
It is ordered that MONDAY, the 18th day of April, 1887, at 10 o'clock a. m., at Chambers, be and the same is, hereby appointed the time for the Probate of said Will and hearing said application, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the said Will, and the granting of Letters Testamentary.
Dated Honolulu, March 28th, 1887.
By the Court: HENRY SMITH, Deputy Clerk.

SUPREME COURT OF THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS. In Probate. In the matter of the Estate of BENJAMIN F. BOLLES, junior, of Honolulu, Oahu, deceased. Intestate.
On filing the petition of Julia K. Bolles, widow of the deceased, of Honolulu, Oahu, alleging that Benjamin F. Bolles, junior, died intestate at said Honolulu, Oahu, on the 31st day of March, 1887, leaving property necessary to be administered upon, and praying that letters of administration issue to her the said Julia K. Bolles.
It is ordered that MONDAY, the 18th day of April, 1887, at 10 o'clock a. m., at Chambers, be and the same is, hereby appointed the time for the Probate of said Will and hearing said application, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the said Will, and the granting of Letters Testamentary.
Dated Honolulu, March 28th, 1887.
By the Court: HENRY SMITH, Deputy Clerk.

CIRCUIT COURT, 3D JUDICIAL DISTRICT, HAWAIIAN ISLANDS. In Probate. In the matter of J. FEIN, of N. Kohala, Hawaii, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition of W. Fern, asking that he be appointed Administrator of the Estate of James Fein, of N. Kohala, Hawaii, deceased, intestate.
It is hereby ordered, that SATURDAY, the 7th day of April, 1887, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Court House in Hilo, Hawaii, be and the same is, hereby appointed the time for hearing said petition and any objections that may be offered thereon.
F. S. LYMAN,
Circuit Judge.

SUPREME COURT OF THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS. In Probate. In the matter of the Estate of AIONA, (Ch.) late of Honolulu, Oahu, deceased. At Chambers before Mr. Justice McCully.
On filing the petition and accounts of William O. O'Brien, Administrator of the Estate of Aiona (Ch.), late of Honolulu, Oahu, deceased, wherein he asks to be allowed \$7201, and charges himself with \$194.98, and asks that the same may be ordered and discharged, and that all persons claiming from all further responsibility as such Administrator.
It is ordered, that Wednesday, the 30th day of April, 1887, at 10 o'clock a. m., before said Justice, at Chambers in the Court House, at Aliolani Hale, Honolulu, be and the same is,